

CLAIM AMENDMENTS

Claim Amendment Summary

Claims pending

- In parent case: Claims 1-21.
- In this case: Claims 22-39.

New claims: 22-39.

Claims 1-21 of the parent case were allowed. To avoid confusion, the numbering of the claims from the parent application is maintained here. Therefore, the claims of this child case start with 22.

Claims:

22. (newly added) A media converter comprising:

a media compressor configured to receive uncompressed, digitized media data and further configured to compress and format the uncompressed media data into a compressed and immediately streamable media (ISM) format; and

a computer interface, coupled to the compressor, configured to receive the media data in the ISM format and to transmit it to a computer using a communications protocol, wherein the computer interface comprises a wireless input/output (I/O) device and the communications protocol is a wireless protocol;

the ISM format being a media format that is acceptable and playable by a streaming media player on a computer without any additional format

1 modifications and the ISM format being a media format that is transmittable over
2 a network coupled to the computer without any additional format modifications.

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4 **23. (newly added)** A converter as recited in claim 22 further
5 comprising a media analog/digital (A/D) converter coupled to media compressor
6 for sending digitized media to the compressor.

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8 **24. (newly added)** A converter as recited in claim 22, wherein the
9 compressor comprises an updateable nonvolatile memory that may be modified by
10 the computer.

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12 **25. (newly added)** A converter as recited in claim 22, wherein the
13 compressor comprises multiple compressors that are selectable by a user.

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15 **26. (newly added)** A converter as recited in claim 22, wherein the
16 compressor comprises multiple compressors that are selectable by the computer.

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18 **27. (newly added)** A converter as recited in claim 22, wherein the
19 ISM format of the compressed media data is in Advanced Streaming Format
20 (ASF).

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22 **28. (newly added)** A converter as recited in claim 22, wherein the
23 ISM format of the compressed media data is in Windows Media Format.
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1 **29. (newly added)** A media conversion method comprising:
2 obtaining uncompressed, digitized media data;
3 compressing and formatting the uncompressed media data into a
4 compressed and immediately streamable media (ISM) format; and
5 sending the compressed media data in the ISM format to a computer by
6 using a wireless communications protocol over a wireless communications
7 protocol interface;
8 the ISM format being a media format that is acceptable and playable by a
9 streaming media player on a computer without any additional format
10 modifications and the ISM format being a media format that is transmittable over
11 a network coupled to the computer without any additional format modifications.

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13 **30. (newly added)** A method as recited in claim 29 further
14 comprising converting analog media into digital media for compressing.

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16 **31. (newly added)** A method as recited in claim 29, wherein the
17 ISM format of the compressed media data is in Advanced Streaming Format
18 (ASF).

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20 **32. (newly added)** A method as recited in claim 29, wherein the
21 ISM format of the compressed media data is in Windows Media Format.
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1 **33. (newly added)** A computer-readable medium having computer-
2 executable instructions that, when executed by a computer, performs the method
3 as recited in claim 29.

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5 **34. (newly added)** A computer-readable medium having computer-
6 executable instructions that, when executed by a computer, performs the method
7 comprising:

8 obtaining uncompressed, digitized media data;
9 compressing and formatting the uncompressed media data into a
10 compressed and immediately streamable media (ISM) format; and

11 sending the compressed media data in the ISM format to a computer by
12 using a wireless communications protocol over a wireless communications
13 protocol interface;

14 the ISM format being a media format that is acceptable and playable by a
15 streaming media player on a computer without any additional format
16 modifications and the ISM format being a media format that is transmittable over
17 a network coupled to the computer without any additional format modifications.

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19 **35. (newly added)** A medium as recited in 34, wherein the method
20 further comprising converting analog media into digital media for compressing.

1 **36. (newly added)** A method as recited in claim 29 further
2 comprising, with a streaming media player on the computer, playing the
3 compressed media data in the ISM format without any format modifications on the
4 computer.

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6 **37. (newly added)** A method as recited in 34, wherein the ISM
7 format of the compressed media data is in Advanced Streaming Format (ASF).

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9 **38. (newly added)** A method as recited in 34, wherein the ISM
10 format of the compressed media data is in Windows Media Format.

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12 **39. (newly added)** A converter as recited in claim 22, wherein the
13 streaming media player is the end consumer of transmitted ISM-formatted media
14 data, thus does not further transmit the media data.

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